Docket No.: SAA-008 PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE.

In re Application of

Hiroshi ISHIBUCHI

: Confirmation No. 9237

U.S. Patent Application No. 10/572,856

: Group Art Unit: 3724

Filed: March 22, 2006

: Examiner: Phong H. NGUYEN

For: CUT OFF METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR BAND-LIKE PAPER AND CONTROL

APPARATUS FOR THE SAME

SUBMISSION OF ENGLISH TRANSLATION OF PRIORITY DOCUMENT

Commissioner For Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Further to the amendment filed December 14, 2009, attached is a sworn English translation of the Priority Document (JP2004-260928).

Respectfully submitted

KANESAKA BERNER & PARTNERS

Benjamin J. Hauptman Registration No. 29,310

KANESAKA BERNER & PARTNERS (32628)

1700 Diagonal Road, Suite 310 (703) 519-9785 BJH/tal Facsimile (703) 519-7769 December 22, 2009